

**COMBINED AMENDMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF
TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Large Entity)**

Docket No.
188184/US

In Re Application Of: **Sarkar et al.**

Application No. 10/651,113	Filing Date August 28, 2003	Examiner Sandoval, Patrick	Customer No. 66083	Group Art Unit 2825	Confirmation No. 7868
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Invention: **METHOD AND SOFTWARE FOR PREDICTING THE TIMING DELAY OF A CIRCUIT PATH
USING TWO DIFFERENT TIMING MODELS**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of March 28, 2007 in the above-identified application.

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

One month Two months Three months Four months Five months

from: June 28, 2007 until: July 28, 2007
Date *Date*

The fee for the amendment and extension of time has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST # PREV. PAID FOR	NUMBER EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	41 -	42 =	0	x \$50.00	\$0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	5 -	5 =	0	x \$200.00	\$0.00
FEE FOR AMENDMENT					\$0.00
FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME					\$120.00
TOTAL FEE FOR AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME					\$120.00

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The fee for the amendment and extension of time is to be paid as follows:

A check in the amount of _____ for the amendment and extension of time is enclosed.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 04-1415 in the amount of \$120.00

The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 04-1415

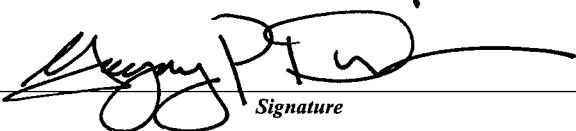
Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.

Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

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